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## MRS. BLACK IS NAMED NEW CITY CLERK-TREASURER

RESIGNATION OF MR. BLACK ACCEPTED AS HE ENTERS ARMED SERVICE

The city council held its regular meeting Monday evening. One of the important matters of business was the resignation of Gifford Black, city clerk-treasurer. He presented his resignation in person, and the same was accepted by the council. It was the duty of Mayor Walter Ballard to fill the vacancy and he immediately named Mrs. Black to fill the unexpired term. The appointment was made with the unanimous approval of the councilmen.

Mr. Black was accepted for army service three weeks ago and will leave Thursday morning to start his basic military training at Fort Harrison.

The committees appointed at the last meeting of the council to check up on new fire fighting apparatus and into the proposed pension fund for city firemen, asked for more time and a report will probably be made at the next regular meeting of the council.

The claim ordinance was unanimously passed by the council. Only one building permit was requested, it coming from S. E. Records at 19 east Franklin street for permission to repair and remodel the building at 19 east Franklin street.

The council also passed a resolution re-appropriating about \$900 for various purposes, the most of it being for a proposed survey by a sanitary engineer, the purpose being to throw all sections of the city which are not now in the sewer district into it. This is only a proposal to be made at no contract has been made at it has been suggested that this be done. This would include certain sections of the city which are not now within the sanitary sewer district, including Northwood, some sections in north, south and east Greencastle.

The contract for three years between Glen Browning and the city for the rental of sections of the city airport farm was presented and accepted. It was for \$125 per year.

**HAZI SOLDIERS OWE LIVES TO AMERICANS**

CAIAZZO, Italy, Oct. 19 (UP)—A group of German soldiers owe their lives to American Doughboys.

The Americans didn't have much trouble capturing the town of Caiazzo on the north bank of the Volturno. But the tough job began when they rounded up the Nazi prisoners.

For the people of Caiazzo came out of their hiding places with anger and vengeance in their hearts. Captain Valentine Lentz—who led the American troops—relates that the Italians wanted to kill the German soldiers.

He reports that Italian women ran alongside as the prisoners were marched through the streets and hit them on the head with wine bottles. The Italians had good reason to want revenge. The Germans had burned four out of every five houses in the town. They had killed cows and pigs with dynamite.

**Post Office At Clayton Robbed**

Yeggs yesterday morning blew open the safe in the post office at Clayton, and escaped with \$900, non-negotiable blank war bonds with a face value of \$18,000, and the office records.

The robbery was discovered at 7 o'clock by Postmaster Willard Edmondson when he arrived to open the office. He notified Hendricks County Sheriff Oscar Bradford, state police and post office inspectors.

Neighbors said they felt a jar about 1:30 o'clock yesterday morning, probably when the nitro-glycerine charge exploded, but none investigated.

**20 Years Ago**

IN GREENCASTLE

Mrs. Lulu Welch was elected district president of the Woman's Relief Corps at the state convention in Indianapolis.

Mrs. Harry Moore and daughter, Annie spent the day in Indianapolis. The city firemen were called to the Little Handle Factory when a steam pipe burst in the boiler room and began to throw sparks from the furnace around in a lively fashion. The trouble was remedied in short order and fortunately the firemen were not needed.



**GRATEFUL SOVEREIGNS**—King George and Queen Elizabeth of Britain chat with Vice Marshal Lord Dowding, after thanksgiving ceremonies in London commemorating third anniversary of Battle of London, when Nazis swept city in air blitz

## EXCHANGE IS BEING MADE OF WAR PRISONERS

SICK AND WOUNDED TO BE RETURNED FROM SWEDISH PORT

GOTEBORG, SWEDEN, Oct. 19 (UP)—The first exchange of prisoners of war between the Allies and Germany was being made at this Swedish port today as 4,340 sick and wounded Allied soldiers, including 17 Americans, prepared to board ship for home.

An announcement by the Swedish Red Cross, which took charge of the exchange after the initial agreement had been reached between Great Britain and Germany through the Swiss Government, said the transfer will be completed this week.

Similar exchanges are expected to follow.

Two British liners were scheduled to reach port today with 835 German repatriates, after which they and a Swedish ship will take on the Allied prisoners and proceed to the United Kingdom, whence the men will be returned to their various homelands.

While the exchange is not being carried out on a strict man-for-man basis, the larger number of Allied troops being exchanged here will be balanced by a similar repatriation of invalided prisoners between Oran and Marseille and Barcelona.

(A German broadcast heard by Government Monitors said that 5,000 German soldiers would be brought home under the agreement.)

Including in both groups are a small number of Chaplains and Medical Corps Personnel, who are eligible for exchange under the Geneva convention, but most of the Repatriates are the maimed and the blind and the shell-shocked who will not fight again in this or any war.

The names of the men exchanged will not be announced until their next of kin have been notified. The Americans are expected to be returned home as soon as possible after they reach the United Kingdom.

The bulk of the Allied soldiers come from widely-scattered nations of the British commonwealth, many of them prisoners since the German conquest of France and the low countries in the summer of 1940. The smallness of the American contingent, comprising four lieutenants and 13 enlisted men, was explained by the fact that relatively few Americans have been taken prisoner by the Germans.

Seven special trains brought 3,690 Allied prisoners to this port after crossing the Baltic by ferry, while the remaining 650, all stretcher cases, reached here aboard the German hospital ships Ruegen and Meteor.

The latter vessels will take all the German repatriates back home under a safe conduct arrangement supervised by the Swedish Red Cross.

The supplementary Mediterranean exchange will involve the transfer of a large group of German prisoners from North Africa, France and Spain, with the Germans returning 1,000 other British prisoners who have been sent from occupied France to Barcelona.

Some of the Germans scheduled to reach Goteborg today are making

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## MOSCOW SCENE OF TRI-POWER CONFERENCES

SECRETARY HULL, BRITISH AND RUSSIAN DIPLOMATS GET TOGETHER

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19 (UP)—Secretary of State Cordell Hull believed today to be prepared to discuss any pertinent subject under the sun—including the so-called second front—at the Moscow conference of foreign ministers.

It is even possible that Hull may propose that the conference have an open program—that is, that no limited list of subjects would be set down for discussion but that the list be left open and subjects be added as desired.

The fact to remember in connection with the conference, however, is that it is intended only as a preliminary to a Roosevelt-Churchill-Stalin meeting.

That means that the foreign ministers will not make any final decisions on their own at Moscow. If they were competent to make final decisions in the vast field of Anglo-Russian-American relations, there would be no need for President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Churchill and Premier Josef Stalin to meet.

The foreign ministers conference will be judged in large part on whether it actually is followed by a meeting between the top men of the three nations. Mr. Roosevelt and Churchill urgently desire such a meeting.

Acting Secretary of State Edward (Continued on Page Two)

**Japanese Plane Scouts Hawaii**

UNITED STATES PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, PEARL HARBOR, Oct. 19 (UP)—A lone unidentified plane, apparently a Japanese reconnaissance craft, approached within five miles of the Pearl Harbor Navy Yard early yesterday, but fled when it was caught in the glare of searchlights, it was disclosed today.

The enemy craft, if such it was, was the first to fly over the Hawaiian area since March 5, 1942, when a lone Japanese bomber dropped explosives harmlessly on Tantalus Mountain behind Honolulu.

The reconnaissance mission, indicating Japanese nervousness over our moves in the central Pacific, was evidently unsuccessful owing to prompt detection of the foreign plane, which demonstrated that Pearl Harbor will not be caught napping if the Japanese return in force.

The plane, apparently a small float type monoplane, approached from the sea and immediately flew into beams of searchlights from the Barber's Point Naval Air Station on Oahu. It dived in an attempt to get out of the beams, then reversed its course and sped back to sea at low altitude.

The plane was believed to have been launched from a submarine, since the Japanese are known to have developed large types of undersea craft carrying aircraft.

## RECREATION FOR CHILDREN OBJECT OF CLUB WOMEN

MEETING OF COMMITTEE FROM COUNCIL MET WITH CITY OFFICIALS MONDAY

A delegation from the Council of Clubs appeared before the city council at its meeting Tuesday evening for the purpose of discussing a proposed recreational center for Greencastle boys and girls.

Mrs. O. H. Smith, head of the Council of Clubs, reported that many boys and girls have expressed the opinion that provisions have been made for many other youths, including those in the armed forces, but that those left at home are apparently forgotten, and thus the matter of child delinquency is on the upward trend. It is with the idea of curbing some of this delinquency that many have proposed recreational centers whereby the boys and girls will have some supervised program which will occupy their time and talent and thus prevent them from straying from the straight and narrow path.

Mrs. Smith has worked out a series of committees from the various clubs of the community, including all women, but she said it was her hope and that of others to include Men's clubs in the group and the Kiwanis club was the first men's organization to become a member of the Council of Clubs. With the lining up of men's clubs, members of these groups will be included in the committee lists and additional help will thus be obtained in solving the problems at hand.

The churches, it was brought out by discussion during the meeting, are doing the lion's share of this work at the present time. The Goble Memorial church, Rev. Tennant reported, is having church groups and their friends into the church on Friday evenings and on Sunday evenings. Rev. Fellers also said the Christian church is doing likewise, but because of their limited facilities and space, only a few of those needing supervised recreation can be accommodated.

Judge Abrams explained the work of the curfew law and the good it is doing. He also detailed the need for supervised recreation and the good it will accomplish towards eliminating delinquency.

Lloyd Messersmith, director of Athletics at DePauw University, Fred Fechtman and Mrs. A. L. Dobbs of the high school told of what they are attempting and some of the results. One of the unusual results, Mrs. Dobbs reported was the organization of a class in ball room dancing. It was organized free at first and was a complete failure. Then it was started again with a fee attached and was quite successful. She said it was a puzzling matter to understand the whole affair and the results obtained.

Supt. Stapley of the city schools spoke of the value of supervised play and showed how various groups might be brought together in various places over the city and thus make it more successful than if they were all brought into one place.

Speakers showed how the matter of recreation will have to be taken to the children, rather than have the children come to the recreation. Judge Abrams proposed a large room in south Greencastle where such a thing could be started for that section of the city and then it developed that various groups in DePauw are crying for something to do, and are working in various sections of the city, including Maple Heights and Commercial Place and it will be worked out in this way that the central leadership will devise plans whereby these and other groups may be put to work on some enterprise in various sections of the city and thus take the matter of recreation to the boys and girls in those spots.

The Elks club is throwing its home open on Friday evening to children of Elks and their friends. They will be given supervised play of all the Club's facilities in this way.

The Liberty Ship will be available to the boys and girls on Wednesday afternoons and evenings and it is believed some plans will come from this meeting that will make it possible for all boys and girls in the city to benefit from some supervised recreation.

**GRANTED DIVORCE**

Josephine Eiteljorge was granted an absolute divorce from Edward N. Eiteljorge by Judge Marshall D. Abrams in the Putnam circuit court on Monday. John H. Allee was attorney for the plaintiff.

## COAL OPERATORS JUMP INTO MINING DISPUTE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19 (UP)—Appalachian coal operators stepped back into the smoldering mine wage dispute today with an attack on the United Mine Workers' proposed contract with Illinois operators.

Spokesmen for the Appalachian group had made no secret of their disapproval of the agreement but they had refrained from formal criticism. Then in quick succession the War Labor Board granted their request for a hearing on the Illinois pact and the operators issued a statement denouncing it.

Mrs. S. C. Vestal Called By Death

Clarence A. Vestal received a message Tuesday morning from his brother, Col. Curtis Vestal of Pasadena, Calif., saying Mrs. Vestal passed away there Sunday and the funeral services will be held on Wednesday afternoon. Burial will be in Pasadena.

Mrs. Vestal was the daughter of the late John R. Miller, former mayor of Greencastle and a widely known attorney here for many years.

Besides the husband, she is survived by a daughter, Mildred and a son, William, now serving in the armed forces in Panama.

**L. D. Carrington Funeral On Thursday**

Lorenzo Dow Carrington, age 71 years, passed away at his home on Poplar street at 1:15 o'clock Tuesday morning from a heart trouble from which he had suffered for more than a year.

Mr. Carrington was born and reared in Warren township and spent his entire life-time there until removing to Greencastle two years ago, where he had since made his home.

Mr. Carrington is survived by the widow, two daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Halton, Cloverdale; Mrs. Florence Anderson, Indianapolis and one son, Donald Carrington, who is serving with the armed forces in North Africa, having been in the army for about 18 months. He also has five grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. Daisy Goodwin of Greencastle.

Mr. Carrington was born on July 26, 1872, on a farm in Warren township where he grew to man-hood and was educated in the public schools of the neighborhood. He spent most of his time in farming and live-stock raising and was widely known in the community in which he spent his life.

The funeral will be held from the Methodist church in Putnamville Thursday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock with the Rev. Cecil Fellers, pastor of the Christian church here, officiating. Burial will be in the Putnamville cemetery.

Friends may call at the Rector Funeral home here prior to the funeral hour.

**Fillmore Youth Is In Ireland**

N. S. NAVAL OPERATING BASE, Londonderry, North Ireland, Oct. 19.—A Fillmore, Ind., man is among 68 rugged Hoosiers who are fighting this war with bulldozers, hammers, picks and shovels at the N. S. Navy's operating base here.

He is Richard G. Cowgill Jr., 21, who is attached to the 4th U. S. Navy Construction Battalion—a unit of the famed Sea Bees—which has been in the United Kingdom for more than a year. During that time Cowgill's outfit has erected and maintained buildings, roads, shops and other installations vital to shore bases of the Navy.

The Sea Bees are the engineers of the Navy. In the organization are men who can do everything from fire a Nissen hut to clear harbors of sunken ships with detonation charges. Each Sea Bee unit is self-sustaining. Each has its own clerical and supply staffs, cooks, mailmen and other personnel necessary for a smooth-functioning organization.

The Sea Bees are trained to fight, too, if necessary. They are drilled on assault tactics and are capable of taking care of themselves in the face of an enemy attack.

Cowgill, a shipfitter, third class, worked as a plumber and steamfitter before he enlisted in the Naval Reserve in July, 1942. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Cowgill Sr., of Fillmore.

## SERVING COUNTRY



Photo By Cammack

Pvt. John C. Shaner is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Shaner, Greencastle, R. 4 to be in the armed forces. His address is 35138663, Btry, C. 400 A. F. A. En., Fort Knox, Ky.

**Church Will Be Host For Rally**

The First Christian Church will be host to the other Christian churches of Putnam County, in one of the ninety two Fellowship Rallies being held in Indiana this week. The Fellowship program is promoted and led by the Indiana Christian Missionary Association, and is a comprehensive program for the year, embodying evangelistic services, mass meetings, and other inspirational gatherings of the churches throughout the year.

To lead the program, eighteen men were selected, each with the responsibility of promoting the program in five or six counties. Each of these men in turn selected a chairman in each county, who was responsible to contacting all churches in his county, arranging the rally, and in other ways directing the program.

The minister of the local church is chairman of the Putnam County unit.

E. L. Day, Evangelist of Marion county, will be the leader of the meeting tonight. After a fine evangelistic song service and devotional period, the area leader will outline the plans for the year's program, and will answer questions concerning it.

The meeting begins at 7:30 and closes at 9:00 o'clock. All members of Putnam County Christian Churches are urged to attend, and visitors are cordially invited.

**Schools To Issue Ration Book Four**

War ration book four, which comes into use on November 1, will be issued during the last week in October by the public school teachers who have given such splendid service in previous registrations of war ration books. Twenty-four schools throughout the county will become the distribution centers for the new rationing book on the 25, 26 and 27 of this month.

In Greencastle consumers will register at the three grade school buildings from 1:00 to 5:30 in the afternoons of the three registration days. Residents are requested to apply at the schools where they applied previously, or if new comers, to the school nearest them. Those whose last names begin with the letter A through H are asked to register on Monday afternoon, those from I through R on Tuesday, and the remaining ones with initials from S through Z on Wednesday. Those who find it impossible, because of working hours, to call at the schools according to the schedule, will be allowed to register for their books from

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**Roy Terry Named County Farm Supt.**

Victor Cue who has been superintendent of the County Farm for the past year, has tendered his resignation, effective November 1, and the County Commissioners at a special session on Saturday afternoon, named Roy Terry of Mt. Meridian to fill the vacancy.

Mr. and Mrs. Cue will return to Greencastle to reside and will take a vacation for a few weeks before taking up any other work. Mr. Cue stated today.

## SMUTS HINTS ALLIED DRIVE VIA BALKANS

INVASION BEFORE WINTER SEEN BY SOUTH AFRICAN PREMIER

LONDON, Oct. 19 (UP)—Marshal Jan C. Smuts, Prime Minister of South Africa, hinted today that the Allies will invade the Balkans before winter and said the United States "undoubtedly" will take a leading and perhaps decisive part in the final grand assault on Hitler's European fortress next year.

Smuts' prediction of advances into Southeastern Europe was the strongest hint yet dropped by an authoritative source of invasion of the Balkans, however, guerrilla and partisan activity in both Yugoslavia and Greece with liaison with the Allied middle-eastern command has foreshadowed such a thrust.

Partisans already claim to hold one-third of Yugoslavia, including a sizeable stretch of the Dalmatian coast opposite Allied-held Southern Italy.

Smuts, whose arrival was announced Oct. 5, was known to be lending considerable aid to the Anglo-American command in his role as the Empire's leading elder statesman and warrior. Almost a year ago, he made a similar speech foreshadowing the North African offensive.

**Morgenthau On Tour Of Algiers**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19 (UP)—Secretary of treasury Henry Morgenthau Jr., is in Algiers on a tour of battle fronts to discuss money matters with the commanders of the United Nations forces.

He also undoubtedly will discuss fiscal affairs with government officials of the various nations visited.

This indicated that the proposals of the United States for a post-war stabilization fund and for a world bank would be the matters discussed with the officials of the governments visited.

Two assistants are with Morgenthau: Dr. Harry D. White, who is in charge of the treasury division of monetary research and the man who drew up the American proposals for the stabilization fund and the world bank, and Fred Smith, a confidential advisor to Morgenthau.

The talks with the military commanders probably will be confined to the use of invasion money by the armed forces. The forces of the United States have used two kinds of distinctive money in foreign lands.

In Africa they were supplied with a regular United States currency, which bore identifying symbols in event it fell into enemy hands. The British forces used British money marked with identifying symbols.

In Sicily and Italy all forces, United States and British, used a special "United Nations invasion currency" which was printed here at the bureau of engraving and printing in terms of the Italian Lira.

White has already conducted conferences here with representatives of some 25 foreign nations on the proposed post-war stabilization fund, which would have a capital of around \$8,000,000,000. He and Morgenthau are expected to make efforts towards the actual organization of the fund while on the trip.

**SHERIFFS TO SEEK FOUR-YEAR TENURE**

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 19.—The Indiana Sheriff's Association met in annual convention here today amid general reports among the officials that they would launch a campaign to seek legislation in the 1945 general assembly setting up four-year terms for sheriffs.

Don Hostetter, agent in charge of the Indiana office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, appealed to the sheriffs for greater co-operation among county, city and federal police authorities.

**Today's Weather and Local Temperature**

Forecast for Indiana—warmer today and tonight.

Minimum ..... 38  
6 a. m. .... 38  
7 a. m. .... 38  
8 a. m. .... 41  
9 a. m. .... 50  
10 a. m. .... 55  
11 a. m. .... 59  
12 noon .... 61  
1 p. m. .... 65  
2 p. m. .... 65



## HAS LEADING ROLE

Barbara Sibbett, Frankfort, Ind., freshman at DePauw University, will play the leading role of Gusti Goodrich in the DePauw Little Theater's production of "Sixteen in August," scheduled as the feature evening attraction of combined Old Gold and Dad's Day Saturday, Nov. 6.

Miss Sibbett as Gusti, an energetic, cheerful young girl who will be "Sixteen in August," plays opposite Fred Winship, Franklin, O., who portrays Arthur Peterson, her psychologically inclined boy-friend.

Gusti's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Goodrich, will be Ben Powell, Topeka, Kansas, and Marge Clark, Indianapolis, Ind. Her young friends Lil Stone, Effie McCann, Cynthia Thornton, and Duke Weatherly will be Ann McTaggart, Chicago, Marjory Swanson, Blue Island, Ill., Virginia Plate, Chicago, and John Olcott, Ballentine, South Carolina.

Marcia Denton, Evansville, Ind., will be Carol Dean, an invalid girl, while Dorothy Brown, Huntington, Ind., will be Olga Dean. Polly Grossman, North Vernon, Ind., will be Miss James, the doctor's office girl, and Sally Lockwood, Chicago, will be Asia May, the Goodrich maid.

## RECORD PRICE

LAFAYETTE, Oct. 19 (UP)—The highest price in the history of the Indiana Hereford Breeders' Cattle Association was brought yesterday when an average of \$445 was paid for 19 Herefords at the organization's fifth annual sale. Last year's average price was \$287.



OUR BOYS WITH THE COLORS

Private Robert Eugene Austin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fisher Austin, 310 west Franklin street, has arrived in Lexington, Ky., where he is entered in Lexington College for courses of army air force instruction lasting approximately five months, prior to his appointment as an aviation cadet in the army air forces.

John L. Koessler has been transferred to Jefferson Barracks, Mo., where he will receive his basic military training.

Mrs. Oral McCullough of Center Point has received word from her brother, Cpl. Raymond Elmore, stationed in California, that he has been promoted to the rank of Sergeant T-4.

Conrad P. Prichard, who is stationed at Camp Stewart, Georgia, has been promoted from private first class to Corporal. Corporal Prichard is the husband of the former Miss Dorothy Green of Brazil. Cpl. Prichard's address is Btry. D. 566th A. A. Co., A. W. Bn., Camp Stewart, Ga.

The address of Pvt. Melvin T. Sanford, 35167243, Headquarters Co. A. P. O. 27, 2nd, Bn. 165th Inf. % Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

Pvt. Lee E. Lydick's address is Pfc. 865 Training Regt., R. D. M. C. B., San Diego, 41, Calif.

Cpl. James H. Pickett's new address is 35580643, Co. A. 614th Gm. Bn., A. P. O. 763, % Postmaster, New York City, N. Y.

The new address of Durwood G. Twigg is E. M. 2/c Durwood G. Twigg, Ship Repair Unit, Philadelphia Navy Yards, Philadelphia, Pa., 130, 132-B1.

John W. Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cox of near Mt. Meridian is recovering from an operation at the Naval hospital in Norfolk. His present address is John W. Cox, U. S. Naval Hospital, 26 B. N. O. B., Norfolk, XI, Va.

ARMY AIR BASE, KEARNS, Utah, Oct. 19.—Second Lt. Joseph J. Pickett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe V. Pickett of Fillmore, is stationed at the Army Air Base, Kearns, Utah.

Lieutenant Pickett received his commission Oct. 28, 1942 and was last stationed at Camp Williams, Wis. He enlisted in June, 1940 and attended officers candidate school at Miami Beach, Fla.

ARMY AIR BASE, KEARNS, Utah, Oct. 19.—Capt. Robert B. Moore, 505 E. Washington, of Greencastle, is stationed at the Army Air Base, Kearns, Utah.

Now a quartermaster officer, Capt. Moore received his commission June 3, 1942 and was last stationed at this post when it was a basic training center.

CHANUTE FIELD, Ill., Oct. 19.—Corporal Paul F. Cook, Jr., son of Paul F. Cook, Sr., 110 Taylor Place, Greencastle, Ind., has completed training and has been graduated from this school of the Army Air Forces Training Command.

While attending this Army Air Forces Training Command school he received instruction in the instrument specialist course, and in various technical operations vital to the maintenance of the country's fighting planes.

## SOVIET ARMY REPORTS GAIN AGAINST NAZIS

## IEDS DRIVING GERMANS FROM DEFENSES IN SOUTHERN UKRAINE

MOSCOW, Oct. 19.—(UP)—Front reports said today that the red army has gained another four to five miles and was driving the Germans from the defense line after another in a powerful flanking thrust through the southern Ukraine behind the big industrial center of Dnepropetrovsk.

(The official German news agency DNB acknowledged that the Germans have been forced back in the Dnepropetrovsk sector by the tremendous pressure of more than 20 Soviet infantry divisions, normally at least 300,000 men. The London Daily Herald interpreted the broadcast to mean that the Germans had abandoned Dnepropetrovsk.)

Rapidly expanding their original 5½-mile deep and 28-mile wide breakthrough on the west shore of the Dnieper river northeast of Dnepropetrovsk, the Russians overran 23 additional towns and villages and bounded to within 12 miles of the Dnepropetrovsk-Bessara railway and 50 miles of the vital Krivoi Rog mines, which before the war produced half of Russia's iron. Soviet artillery already was shelling the railway.

Elsewhere along a blazing 400-mile front, the Russians killed 2,000 more Germans in a yard-by-yard advance through the streets of Melitopol, gateway to the Crimea; tightened their grip on Kiev, capital of the Ukraine, and forced a fifth major bridgehead across the Dnieper only 60 miles east of the Pripiet Marshes to all but complete the encirclement of Gomel, southeastern defense hinge in White Russia.

## DIVORCE ASKED

Fern Gillihan has filed suit in the Putnam circuit court for a divorce from William Gillihan. Gillen & Lyon are the plaintiff's attorneys.

## TROOPS REACH BRITAIN

LONDON, Oct. 19 (UP)—One of the largest contingents of American troops ever to land in the United Kingdom arrived recently at a British port where Maj. Gen. L. I. G. Morgan-Owen of the British Army told them he hoped they would be "the first troops to land on the shores of France," it was announced today.

PROCLAIMS NAVY DAY INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 18.—(AP)—Governor Schriker today proclaimed that Wednesday, Oct. 27, would be observed as Navy Day by Indians.

## TO PRESENT PLAY

The junior class of the Fillmore High School will present a play "The Kid," Tuesday evening, October 19, at the Fillmore High School auditorium.

The juniors will portray the difficult character roles of the three act comedy.

The play is centered around Teddy Randall, the colorful youth who is turning the corner of life, called adolescence.

The cast of characters is as follows:

Teddy Randall, the boy ..... Jimmie Gorham  
Laurie, his youngest sister ..... Mary Lu Alexander  
Mary, his eldest sister ..... Crystal Phillips  
Theodore, his father ..... Kenneth Petro  
Cora, his mother ..... Nadine Wilms  
Granny, Theodore's mother-in-law ..... Emma Kay Buis  
Sue Colburn, Teddy's heart interest ..... Marjorie Hunter  
Herbert Osborne, Mary's fiance ..... Don Kiger  
Jack Dean, Laurie's boy-friend ..... DeLoss Sharp

## EMERGENCY CRISIS FACES POTATO GROWERS

"The largest potato crop in years is threatened by heavy losses this winter because of lack of storage space reports growers in big producing areas. Potato crop this year is not larger than is needed but there is insufficient storage space to handle the storing of this crop. To conserve this important food and to augment the nation's food supply for the coming months consumers are urged to buy and store potatoes for future use. Absorption of the huge crop at this time will not only alleviate the storage problem in the growing area but will also insure adequate supplies of winter potatoes within reach of the housewife during the coming months. Growing conditions in the potato area were excellent this season and the quality is the best in years and housewives are urged to buy and store their winter's supply now in any dark, cool dry basement allowing them to be kept right in the bag."

## THE DAILY BANNER and Herald Consolidated "2 Waves For All"

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## A BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

You will be very welcome at your father's house: Mine house shall be called a house of prayer for all people.—Isa. 56:7.

## Personal And LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Mrs. Kate Hendrix has returned home from a visit with relatives in Springfield Illinois.

Jesse Heriott is visiting with his brothers, Curtis and Edgil at Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. George York of Lafayette spent the week end with relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Hutcheson have returned home after a ten day vacation at Spring Mill Park.

Eldon Lee, 707 east Washington street, was released from the county hospital Monday.

Howard Shake of Cloverdale was admitted to the county hospital Tuesday morning for treatment.

Mrs. Frank McFerran of Gosport underwent an operation at the county hospital Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Herbert Dixon, Greencastle Route 2, underwent a tonsil operation at the county hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. Emma R. Stigler attending the wedding of Helen Lou Reddie and Curtis R. Stearly at Brazil Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Williams, who was injured in an accident several days ago is reported slightly improved at the Putnam county hospital.

Mrs. W. O. Mathew and daughter, Jeanne, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harper and son, Charles Alan of Fortville.

W. O. Mathew spent the week end in Sheridan with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Evert and family. His mother, Mrs. Mary E. Mathews, returned home with him for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Torr, Elm street, have returned home after visiting for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Torr of Walled Lake, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Knauer and children, who have been visiting with relatives and friends in Greencastle have returned to their home in Buffalo, N. Y.

Miss Virginia Twomey has returned from Dothan, Alabama, where she visited her friend, Lyda Wm. Parks at Camp Rucker who will leave for overseas soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Priest and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wear of Miami, Florida, called on their aunt, Mrs. Vern Twomey and family, 701 Bloomington street, Friday afternoon.

Notice has been received here of the death of Albert T. Erb at his home in Bellingham, Wash. The widow, Mrs. Etta Erb, is a sister of J. C. and A. A. Brothers of Greencastle.

Private Canario Hinton, son of Frank Hinton of the Hawaiian Islands, formerly of Greencastle, is here visiting with his aunts, Mrs. Guy Williamson and Mrs. George Frank. Pvt. Hinton is stationed at a camp in Arizona.

Mrs. Robert Cox returned to her home Friday from Shreveport, Louisiana. She had spent the past two months with her husband stationed at Camp Polk La. She will remain at her home while her husband is being transferred to a new post.

Mrs. Cox is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Appleby of Cloverdale.

## CONTINUE CLOSING

The undersigned members of the Putnam County Bar Association will continue to close their offices at noon on Wednesdays:

John H. Allee, Rexell A. Boyd, Theodore Crawley, Gillen and Lyon, F. S. Hamilton, Hughes & Hughes, M. J. Murphy, Frank Stoessel, Sutherland & Sutherland, Albert E. Williams.



Both help conserve food and save war time.



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## Society

## Jefferson Club Met

With Mrs. Ina McCammack

Jefferson Township Ec-club met Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Ina McCammack played the opening song, creed was repeated and roll call answered by Riley Quotations. The lesson, "To use the clothing we have" was given by Mrs. Clovie Salsman, and a short demonstration of clothing ideas and helping each other, which was a great benefit to all. The club was favored with a piano solo, by Miss Shirley Patrick and all members left hoping to meet on November 11th in the afternoon in the music room at school building.

## Miss Jane Smith Bride

Of Chester Carlin  
Miss Jane Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Smith, Ohio street and Chester Carlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Carlin, east Berry street, were married Sunday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock in the First Christian church. The single ring ceremony was read by the Rev. Cecil Fellers in the presence of members of the immediate families.

## Federation Reading Club

To Meet Wednesday

Federation Reading Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the city library. Mrs. J. L. Riebsomer will review "Petticoat Vagabond."

## Kappa Delta Phi

Met Monday

Kappa Delta Phi Sorority held their monthly business meeting and party Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Hugh Walker, south Indiana street. Miss Martha Hurst was the assisting hostess. Prizes were won by Miss Virginia Young and Mrs. William Murray.

## Christian Church Women

To Have All Day Meeting

The Woman's Union of the First Christian church will hold an all day meeting at the church Thursday. Bring food and table service. Come early as there will be sewing and needle. Following the business period in the afternoon Mrs. Bert Roberts will lead the devotion and Mrs. Harry Wells will have the program using as her subject "The Church Builds for the Future." Members are asked to take a can of fruit or vegetables to this meeting for the Emily Flynn home.

## Mrs. Stringer To Be

Hostess To Club

Golden Link Club will meet with Mrs. Myrtle Stringer Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The program for the evening will be given by Mrs. Lorene Cloyd.

## Mother's Service Club

To Meet Tonight

Mother's Service Club will meet this evening at 8:00 o'clock at the Legion Home.

## Mrs. Butler To Be

Hostess To Club

Cro-Tat-Em Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Hattie Butler Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. Fannie Lou Grimes will be the assisting hostess.

## Dorcas Class To

Meet Wednesday

Dorcas Class of the First Baptist church will hold their regular meeting at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Lorene Scroggins, 10 Olive street, Apartment 1.

## Mrs. Fred Strange, Greencastle

Route 4, returned to her home Tuesday morning from the county hospital.

## Jolly-Get-Together Club To Meet

The Jolly-Get-Together Club will hold a meeting at 1:30 P. M. Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mary Rader. There will be work done on a comfort.

## Section Four

Held Meeting

Section Four of the First Christian Church met October 14 with Mrs. David Kendall. An interesting and amusing auction sale was held with Mrs. Will Glidewell as the auctioneer. Mrs. Fannie Torr was the leader for the program on the subject "All Brought Gifts". She was assisted by Mrs. Clare Gibson and Mrs. LeRoy Baldwin. Mrs. Milton Klebusch led the devotions.

## Missionary Guild

To Meet Thursday

The Missionary Guild of the Christian Church will meet with Mrs. Glenn Stiles, 201 west Walnut street, Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

## Hurl Japs Back At Finschhafen

## ALLIED HEADQUARTERS

Southwest Pacific, Oct. 19.—(UP)—Japanese troops, supported by seaborne reinforcements, have been hurled back in a second attempt to recapture their fallen New Guinea base at Finschhafen, a communique reported today.

The destruction of at least 43 more enemy aircraft also was announced in the continuing battle for aerial supremacy over the southwest Pacific, and Gen. Douglas MacArthur's headquarters revealed that Australian infantrymen have driven northward through the New Guinea jungles to within about 10 miles of the Japanese coastal base at Madang, 165 miles above Finschhafen.

The latest Japanese plans losses made a total of more than 1,600 enemy aircraft destroyed since the central Solomons and New Guinea offensives began on June 30, in addition to 400 planes probably destroyed or damaged.

A spokesman at MacArthur's headquarters said strong Japanese forces cut off on the Huon Peninsula west of Finschhafen launched an attack on the base at dawn Saturday.

Australian troops who captured Finschhafen on Oct. 2 engaged the enemy about three miles northwest of the port and smashed two attacks from that direction.

Japanese reinforcements landed before dawn Sunday at the mouth of the Soong river, about five miles north of Finschhafen, only to meet a hail of fire that sank two of their three barges and killed 37 of their troops. Another 30 Japanese fled into the jungles to the north.

Allied warplanes bombed and strafed enemy positions inland in support of their ground troops.

The Japanese lost more than 400 dead in their last counter-attack against Finschhafen on Oct. 9.

MacArthur's communique gave no details on the overland operation against Madang, but indicated that the Australians had broken the outer defenses along the southern approaches to that base. Advanced elements of the attacking column, it said, have reached Obu, bringing Madang almost within their grasp.

Thirty-five Japanese planes attempted to raid shipping in Oro Bay, 170 miles south of Finschhafen, and suffered a defeat almost as disastrous as their previous attack on that base last Friday, when allied fighters shot down 46 and probably 57 of 64 raiding planes.

Mrs. Fred Strange, Greencastle Route 4, returned to her home Tuesday morning from the county hospital.

## FARM BUREAU MEETING

The Fifth District Farm Bureau meeting was held at Crawfordsville Friday October 15. The principal speaker was Edmond Foust, editor of the Hoosier Farmer. He stressed that the farmer be preparing for a key man in postwar planning.

Miss Frances Hendrich won second place in a Rural Youth Speaking contest.

Hubert Ellison talked on the membership drive which will be held from October 18th to October 23rd.

Members are requested to send their dues to the county secretary, Mrs. C. M. Furr of Cloverdale, due to the shortage of gas and tires.

## ANNIVERSARIES

Birthday

James M. Oliver, today, Oct. 19. Pvt. Melvin T. Sanford of the army 25 years old today, Oct. 19.

Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wood, 51st anniversary today, Oct. 19. Mr. and Mrs. Kimball Larkin, 9th anniversary today, October 19th.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Patterson, east Hanna, 31 years today, October 19. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Grimes, Jr., 1 year, Oct. 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hutcheson, 3 years today, Oct. 19.

## FREE FARMS FOR SOLDIERS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19.—(UP)—Free farms for returning soldiers were proposed today by Sen. George D. Aiken, R., Vt.

Aiken said money would be better spent putting ex-soldiers out in the country "where they can best raise a family" than it would be in modernizing cities.

He said he didn't mean the soldiers would have to make their living from the land, but could commute by helicopter to cities many miles away if they didn't like farming.

The big thing, he said, is to make it easy for the veterans to get land. "We must not place them in the hopeless position of being in debt to the government or anyone else," he added. "The land should be given the soldiers free of all debts."

Sen. Elmer Thomas, D., Okla., objected to the idea on the ground that there was little public arable land left, and that the government would either have to do a lot of irrigation or else buy private land and resell it to the soldiers.

Officials of the public land office of the Interior Department said various plans for soldier resettlement on government lands are now under consideration.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE

## BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Oct. 19.—

(UP)—Sheriff Albert Skirvin of Monroe county said today that Hansford Gofourth, 28, tenant farmer accused of murder, slashed his wrists and left ankle with a razor blade Sunday night in a suicide attempt.

Gofourth and his wife, Violet, 30, were held in jail on murder charges in connection with the stabbing of John T. Acuff, 67, Bloomington banker who had driven to their farm Sept. 30 and argued with them about rent.

Skirvin said Gofourth tried to kill himself after his nearly blind 14-year-old daughter had visited him in his jail cell. The man's condition was not serious. The Gofourths contend that Acuff stabbed himself when he slashed at Mrs. Gofourth with a knife.

I LDUCE ILL

MADRID, Oct. 19 (UP)—Benito Mussolini is critically ill in a sanatorium at Pieve Di Cadore in the Venetian Alps, reports from Vichy said today.

The ailing ex-Duce, the reports said, now delivers long "pep talks"

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Pinkham's Tablets is one of the greatest blood-iron tonics you can buy to help build up red blood to give you strength and energy and to promote a more robust bloodstream—in weak cases.

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## TRI-POWER CONFERENCE

(Continued from Page One)

t. Stettinius, Jr., announced that hat Hull and his party had reached Moscow. British Foreign Minister Anthony Eden also arrived there yesterday.

Stettinius expressed certainty that the "frank and friendly discussions" which will take place will enable the three powers further to coordinate efforts to... defeat the ruthless Nazis and establish a just and lasting peace.

The administration is confident that the success of this conference will go far to achieve it.

## WEST JEFFERSON TWP.

Miss Mabel Keller of Greencastle spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Keller.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McCammack were Thomas Pierce and Wilbur and Louis Gaston.

Mrs. Roy Foster and children called on Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Dorsett Saturday morning.

Mrs. Vada Hadden called on Mrs. Nina Gaston Saturday afternoon.

Rev. Gilbert McCammack filled in regular appointment at New Providence church Sunday morning and evening. Mr. and Mrs. McCammack and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Grubb.

Wilbur Gaston of Great Lakes Naval Training Station has been spending a week's furlough with his parents and other relatives here.

Revival meeting begun at New Providence church Monday evening, Oct. 18. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen and children, Helen Mae and Lyndell Darlene and Mrs. Ethel Smith called on Mr. and Mrs. Lee Allen Sunday.

Mrs. Nina Gaston and children Duane and Frances called on Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McCammack Friday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Paige and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Wheeler Sunday. In the afternoon they called on Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Butler of near Coatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Benassi and children called on Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ziegler Sunday evening.

Bobbie Dorsett spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Foster.

Mrs. Charles Mailcoat of Indianapolis spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Mattie Coffey.

The senior class of Belle Chain High School was in Indianapolis Sunday and had their pictures taken.

## OPA Form R-146 Form Approved BUREAU OF WAR RATION BOOK FOUR

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## APPLICATION FOR WAR RATION BOOK FOUR

## INSTRUCTIONS

FAMILY—File a single application for all members of a group of persons who are related by blood, marriage, or adoption, and who regularly live in the same household. Include any family members temporarily away from home, such as students, travelers, or hospital patients, who are away not more than 60 days.

INDIVIDUALS—Persons living in the same household who are not related by blood, marriage, or adoption must file separate applications.



**-For Sale-**

**FOR SALE:** Two Chester White pure stock, 855 north Jackson street. 19-1p

**FOR SALE:** Between 500 and 600 bushels extra good corn. Call 217-M. 19-1t

**FOR SALE:** Apples and cider. 25-tf

**FOR SALE:** Cook stove, a good dresser and bed with inner spring mattress. Walter Calvert, 36 west of Morton. 18-3p

**FOR SALE:** One new electric heater complete with filters for your furnace. Leutke's Bakery. 18-2p

**FOR SALE:** Show cases and wall cases. Call L. C. Buchheit. 18-2t

**FOR SALE:** Complete 3 rooms of furniture. Everything new, privilege to rent the apartment. For appointment call 299. 18-6t

**FOR SALE:** Bathing stoves, cook stoves and heater and oil stoves. Gilbert Wood, South End. 18-2p

**FOR SALE:** 2 year old Holstein heifer with heifer calf, 4 gallon cow. Brick Chapel, 1 1-2 miles east. Ben Wright. 19-1p

**FOR SALE:** 10 good ewes. Phone 263-M. 19-1p

**FOR SALE:** Baby crib, ivory with mattress and tacked feather tick. 20 east Berry street. 19-1t

**FOR SALE:** Yearling Shropshire, purebred, Raymond Rex Hamman, Greencastle-Manhattan road. 19-1t

**FOR SALE:** 2 young Jersey males and 2 big type Poland male hogs. Frank Woods, Fillmore. 19-20-2p

**FOR SALE:** 7 room semi-modern house with garden. Call 117-M. 19-2ts

**-Real Estate-**

**FOR SALE:** A 113 acre farm, 60 acres tillable, (40 bottom land) Seven room house. Good barn, crib and chicken house. Never failing water. Electricity available. Price \$7,000. J. T. Christie, Real Estate. 8-3t

**-Wanted-**

**WANTED:** Small hot water heating system in good condition. Russell Cagle. Phone 731-M. 19-3t

**WANTED:** 2 or 3, 14 year old boys with bikes, for evening and Saturday work. Give name, age, address and phone No. to Box D. 19-2t

**WANTED:** Married man for farm work. Party must be honest and experienced with stock. Good proposition and future for interested work. C. A. Cline, 831 Security Trust Bldg., Indianapolis, Indiana. 19-5t

**WANTED:** Farm hand, married, must be experienced milker. Salary or shares. Write Box 19, Banner. 19-3p

**WANTED:** Shoe clerk, experienced or one willing to learn. State age. Lady preferred. Reply Banner Box 19. 19-2t

**WANTED TO RENT:** Unfurnished house or apartment. Call 431-J. 18-2t

**WANTED:** Laundry help. HOME LAUNDRY & CLEANERS. 28-tf

**WANTED:** To buy chest of drawers, high boy type. Phone 766-R. 18-2p

**WANTED:** General housework in Greencastle. No laundry. Phone 11. 18-2p

**WANTED:** Woman for general housework in sorority house, \$15 per week, also furnace man wanted. Call 764-W. 18-2t

**FOR RENT**

**FOR RENT:** 3 room modern furnished apartment at 416 east Washington street. Heat and water furnished. Inquire at Art Furniture Shop. 6-tf

**FOR RENT:** 3 room house. 719 south Locust street. 19-2t

**-Lost-**

**LOST:** Blue tick hound near or in Lamedale. Notify Morris Nelson, R. 4. 19-2p

**-Miscellaneous-**

**For unholstering, repairing, re-furishing and slip covers at reasonable prices. Call Art Furniture Shop, 6 west Franklin. Telephone 299. 18-6t**

**FOR expert automobile fender and body repairing and refinishing of a complete paint job see us for an estimate. Putnam Motor Sales, Dodge & Plymouth, Greencastle. 18-6t**

**The CAMMACK STUDIO** will be closed for new business until Saturday, October 23. Mr. Cammack is taking a much needed rest. 18-2t

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**BELLE UNION**  
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Mrs. Ida Cox of Martinsville and Rev. Leslie Pritchard were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Horn and Mrs. Pritchard Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Plummer and daughter of Rockville spent the day last Thursday with the latter's mother, Mrs. Pearl Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Heavin were in Belle Union shopping last Tuesday.

Mrs. Ida Cox of Martinsville spent several days last week with Mrs. Elita Sallust.

Dallas Hodge and son Charles were in Indianapolis Tuesday.

Venard Smith who has been on the sick list is reported better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan Dorsett and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Noble Ray Clearwaters Thursday evening.

Lawrence Rockhill of Lena spent the past week with his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Clifford and family.

Mrs. Viola Saylor of near Rockville was the guest of her sister last week, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hodge.

Janette Vaughn called on Shirley Cooper last Thursday night and attended the junior play at the school house here.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Hodge, Rev. Masten and Rev. Phillips attended the home coming at Hazelwood last Sunday.

Rev. Masten attended services at Limesdale last Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hodge and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Lofty Stringer and family were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Hodge last Sunday night.

**HEBRON**

Miss Evelyn McGaughey of Terre Haute spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rafe McGaughey.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Grimes spent Wednesday at Paul McGaugheys.

Farmers are very busy threshing and combining their soy bean crop.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Webster and family of Crawfordsville spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Fred McGaughey.

Mrs. Mattie Lear was called to Waveland by the serious illness of Miss Sophronia McMurtry.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Leonard and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Elsie Thompson and son near Roachdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Clodfelter and family of Indianapolis spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Clodfelter.

Molbert Ratcliff and family, Mrs. Amanda Gagnar and Mrs. Carolyn Tilney and children of Crawfordsville had supper with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dahlgren, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Perry and son and Jimmy Perry were Sunday guests of Paul McGaughey and family.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Manford Carrington were, Mrs. Maggie Hall of Bainbridge, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Raquet of Indianapolis, Mr. and Mrs. Dale McCullough and family of Wingate, Mr. and Mrs. Alvan Clodfelter and daughter and Billie Goff of Crawfordsville, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Doyel and Mrs. Ralph Carrington and daughter, Diana.

**'WOUNDED' 200-POUNDER BY-PASSED ON MANEUVERS**

**CAMP ROBINSON, Ark. (U.P.)**—Pvt. Rolf Mygdal, 200 pound soldier recently returned from maneuvers a sadly shaken man. All he can say is he is glad he wasn't really wounded. Mygdal lay seriously "wounded," but letter bearers and company aid men passed him up nonchalantly. It might have been too dark for them to see him, but Mygdal suspects it was the thought of carrying his 200 pounds. "Maybe I'd just better resign," moaned Mygdal. "The other side can't miss me, and my own side won't carry me."

A Little of...

This and That

(By JIM ZEIS)

We had reports this morning that youngsters have been setting fire to leaves in the yards of various homes in the city. This action could result in serious damage to property and boys and girls should be told not to do it. Of course, all children like bonfires but let's have them out in the street and not on the lawn.

"Court" Gillen told us that he drove his car into town for the first time in five months today. We are glad to state that he is recovering from a leg injury that had him using crutches and then a cane.

Maynard Johnson, who has been on the sick list for the past week, was also able to be out and around Tuesday.

Rex Crask is picking Pittsburg to win the National League baseball pennant next year.

Then there's the fellow who married "Pistol Packing Mama" because she had a "Shotgun Shooting Papa."

Bob Steuber continues to carry the mail for the DePauw Tigers, rolling up 77 points in three games to take individual high scoring honors for gridiron performers in the nation. It's too bad DePauw has an open date this weekend.

The diplomats conferring in Moscow, representing the U. S., England and Russia, may have a "Hull" of a time before the meetings are concluded. But seriously, we sincerely hope they really get something done.

Have you noticed that the city hall is getting an outside paint job?

Wonder when that bag of sand will be removed from the ledge on top of the court house?

Two gals had a free for all slugging match on the south side of the square at noon today. We don't know what caused it, who won it, or whether it is yet over, but we were told they slugged it out in true Marquis of Queensbury style and all onlookers got a big kick out of the strange sight.

An editor who died of starvation was being escorted to heaven by an angel who had been sent for that purpose. "May I look at the other place before we ascend to eternal happiness?" "Easily" said the angel. So they went below and sketched around, taking in the sights. The angel lost track of the editor and went around hedges to hunt him. He found him sitting by a furnace fanning himself and gazing with rapture upon a lot of people in the fire. There was a sign on the furnace which said: "Delinquent subscribers." "Come," said the angel, "we must be going." "You go on" said the editor, "I'm not going. This is heaven enough for me."

**EXCHANGE PRISONERS**

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their second start for home. They were among the men who were to be repatriated in October, 1941, when the Germans abruptly cancelled a proposed exchange after insisting that they would release prisoners only on a man-for-man basis.

**NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION FOR THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WARREN TOWNSHIP, PUTNAM COUNTY, INDIANA**

Notice is hereby given to the Taxpayers of Warren School Township of Putnam County, Indiana, that the Advisory Board and Trustee of said Township, at its regular meeting on the 7th day of September, 1943, determined upon the expenditure of more money for the current year than was set out in detail in the published budget, as modified and confirmed by the Indiana Tax Board for the current year 1943, to pay the following itemized expenses of said School Township, to-wit:

Supplementary tuition fund for payment of teachers \$800.00  
That in order to meet the emergency and necessity which has arisen, the said Advisory Board has determined to appropriate said sum herein shown, to pay and meet the extraordinary emergency existing at this time for the payment of teachers, no appropriation to pay said deficiency amount having heretofore been made.  
A meeting of said Advisory Board and Trustee will be held on the 30th day of October, 1943, at 7:30 o'clock P. M. at its regular meeting place at the home of said Trustee, for the purpose of finally determining to make said appropriation of money to pay said teaching expense, at which said meeting any or all taxpayers may be heard, and they may make objections to the making of said appropriation. If said Advisory Board makes said appropriation, or any part thereof, said matter will be automatically certified to the Indiana Tax Board through the County Auditor of Putnam County, Indiana, for said Board's consideration and approval.  
George Sims, Trustee of Warren School Township. 19-2t

To Help Prevent COLDS from developing

Put a few drops of Vicks Vapo-menthol up each nostril at the very first sniffle, sneeze or sign of nasal irritation. Its quick action aids Nature's defenses against colds. Follow directions in folder.

**SPORTS****Bowling**

**Tonight**  
6:30—Public Service vs. Eitel's  
8:30—University vs. Post Office  
**Wednesday**  
7—Midwest vs. Home Laundry  
**Thursday**  
7—Zinc Mill vs. O. K. Bargers  
**Friday**  
7—Lane Star vs. Naval Officers

**COMMISSION APPOINTED**

**INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 19 (UP)**—The appointment of the three-man election laws codification commission created by the 1943 General Assembly was announced today by Governor Schriener.

David M. Lewis, Indianapolis, former Marion county prosecutor, was appointed by Schriener; William Adams, Indianapolis, former clerk of the supreme and appellate courts, by Lieut. Gov. Charles Dawson, and Ira Dixon, Kentland, by speaker of the house Hobart Creighton.

The commission will codify all laws pertaining to elections.

**NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given that Charles Eugene Sutherland has filed his petition in the Putnam Circuit Court to have the time and place of his birth determined. Said petition is set for hearing Oct. 20, 1943.

Filed this 19 day of Oct., 1943.  
Omer C. Akers, Clerk of the Putnam Circuit Court.

**HEAT POPPED POPCORN**

**FORT SMITH, Ark. (UP)**—There have been lots of tall tales about the heat this past summer, but Leo M. Ermon of Fort Smith swears to this one: It was so hot that an ear of popcorn in his garden "popped" inside the shuck.

**RATION BOOK 4**

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7:00 to 9:15 on Tuesday evening.

The schools in the county outside of Greencastle will be open for registration from 12:00 to 3:00 on Monday, 9:00 to 3:00 on Tuesday and 1:00 to 8:00 p. m. on Wednesday. Consumers are to register at the school nearest their home.

Since no books can be issued from the local office of the War Price and Rationing Board until November 1, all holders of Book Three are asked to obtain their Book Four from one of the school sites during the three day registration period.

All members of a family group related by blood, marriage, or adoption and living in the same household are to apply on one application, with the name of the head of the family being given on line 1. One adult member of the family should make the application for the entire family. Facsimiles of the application blank will be published and these should be clipped from the paper, completely filled out as trial applications, and then taken to the school house at the time of registration. Persons living in the same household but not related, must file separate applications.

A War Ration Book Three must be presented for each member of the family group in order to secure Book Four. If any member of the family does not have a book three, application should be made at the local OPA office. Each holder of a book three should fill in the address and personal description on the cover and sign the cover of the book before presenting it at the registration center.

Application should not be made for books for family members who are inmates of institutions or involuntary confinement, members of the armed

forces, or for persons who intend to reside in the United States for 60 days or less.

All persons are urged by the school authorities and the members of the war price and rationing board to ap-

ply at the school site according to the published schedule and not to make application at the local board office since no books can be issued from that office until after November 1.

**JERSEY CATTLE SALE**

I will sell at auction at my farm 3 miles southeast of New Winchester, 6 miles west and 2 miles south of Danville, 3 miles north of Amo, on

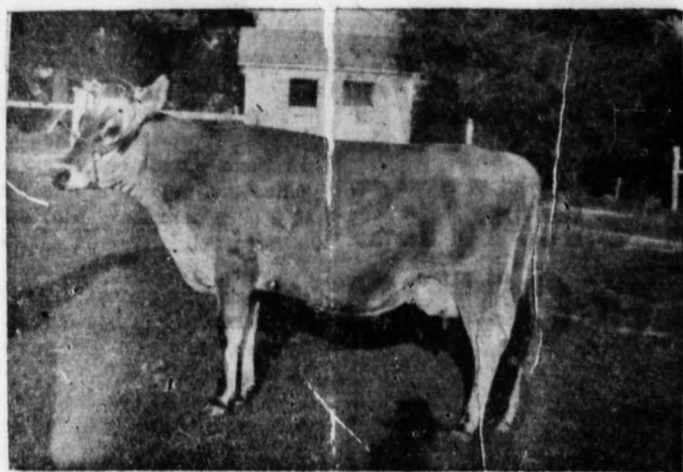
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with Akim Tamiroff  
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### INDIANAPOLIS LIVESTOCK

Hogs 12,000; fairly active; 160 lbs. up 20c-40c lower; lighter weights 50c-\$1 lower; 160-250 lbs., \$14.40-\$14.55; 250-400 lbs., \$14.60; 100-160 lbs., \$13-\$14; sows 10c-15c lower, mostly \$14.35-\$14.50.

Cattle 2,100; calves 600; few early steer sales steady to weak; bidding 25c lower for heifers; cows steady; 2 loads 1125 lb. good and choice steers \$15.75; 4 loads \$14.50; vealers strong to 50c higher, top \$15.50.

Sheep 2,500; good and choice lambs opening weak to 25c lower; mostly \$13-\$14, top \$14.25.

### GET MORE JAP SHIPS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19.—(UP)—Secretary of Navy Frank Knox today revealed the sinking of 98 additional Japanese ships by U. S. submarines, boosting to 721 a United Press compilation of Japanese vessels of all types sunk by American forces since Pearl Harbor.

### MINERS STILL OUT

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 19.—(UP)—The big captive coal mines of the Tennessee Coal and Iron Co. and Republic Steel Corp. were reported still strike-bound today, despite personal appearances of United Mine Workers officials at meetings yesterday at which a large segment of the strikers was said to have voted to return to the pits.

### FIFTH ARMY ADVANCES

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Algiers, Oct. 19.—(UP)—The Fifth Army drive ahead up to four miles in a general advance toward Rome against creaking enemy resistance yesterday and captured at least nine more towns north of the Volturno-Calore line, it was announced today.

Across the Apennines, the British Eighth army pushed its flanking drive toward Rome with the capture of Montecifone, in a three-mile advance from Guglionesi, and San Stefano, four miles northwest of Campobasso, after heavy fighting.

### TO DISTRIBUTE '43 ACTS

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 19.—(UP)—Distribution of the acts of the 1943 Indiana general assembly begins tomorrow and will be completed by the middle of next week, William Hutchinson, chief clerk in the secretary of state's office announced today.

The first 2,000 of the 18,000 printed copies were delivered by the printers today and distribution to county clerks will be made on the basis of 10 books for every 1,000 votes cast for secretary of state in the last election.

When clerk's receipts are returned, Governor Scribner will proclaim the acts to be laws.

A picture of Victor Boesen and an article written by him appeared in the November issue of Skyways an aviation magazine. Hereafter articles written by him will appear regularly in this magazine. Victor is a former resident of Greencastle. He graduated from the local high school and the University of Missouri. For some time he was with the Chicago News Bureau and the Wichita Beacon. His home is now in Hollywood, Calif.

## GRANADA

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Loaded with Love!

Red SKELTON  
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with RICHARD AINLEY  
PATRICIA DANE  
JESS LEVENS  
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### TWO PRISONERS FOUND

WATROUS, N. M., Oct. 19.—(UP)—Two of six German prisoners who escaped from the Trinidad, Colo., internment camp were found by state police and federal agents last night in a barn near here, drinking beer.

State Police Captain Al Hathaway said the prisoners—corporals in the German army—first claimed they were Canadians. Speaking in broken English, they said they were "going to Los Angeles."

When asked for credentials they confessed their identity, Hathaway said, but they would give no information on the whereabouts of the four prisoners still at large. The captured men will be returned to the camp immediately, he said.

The Germans, wearing prisoners uniforms and believed unarmed, escaped early yesterday, precipitating an intensive manhunt through the Baldands of southern Colorado and northern New Mexico.

### STATE POLICE ARREST FOUR MEN ON MONDAY

State police officers were active on the National Road Monday and as a result four motor vehicle drivers paid fines when arraigned before Justice of the Peace Dent Chaney.

William Deakins, a Greyhound bus driver, was charged with speeding on U. S. 40 by Officer Walter S. Rawley and fined \$5 and costs.

Roy Louis Rhude, was charged with reckless driving of his semi-trailer truck on the National by Rawley, and he was also fined \$5 and costs.

John Cesinger, arrested for reckless driving by Rawley was given a fine of \$1 and costs.

William M. Ritter, taken into custody by Officer Gaylord Howerton on a charge of having no clearance lights on his truck, was fined \$5 and costs by Justice Chaney.

### NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT OF ESTATE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Creditors, Heirs and Legatees of William S. Burris, deceased to appear in the Putnam Circuit Court, held at Greencastle, Indiana, on the 14th day of November, 1943, and show cause, if any, why the FINAL SETTLEMENT ACCOUNTS with the estate of said decedent should not be approved; and said heirs are notified to then and there make proof of heir ship, and receive their distributive shares.

Maime M. Pulk, Adm'r.

WITNESS, the Clerk of said Court, this 11th day of Oct., 1943.

No. 8459.

Omer C. Akers, Clerk Putnam Circuit Court.

Hughes & Hughes, Att'ys. 12-21

### NAZIS RETREAT

MOSCOW, Oct. 19.—(UP)—Out-matched German troops have begun a retreat north of Kiev after losing one of the bloodiest battles of the massive struggle of the Dnieper river line, semi official dispatches revealed today.

### BOMBERS OVER GERMANY

LONDON, Oct. 19 (UP)—British four - engined bombers, hundreds strong, resumed their back-buster raids on Germany last night with a heavy assault on Hannover while twinengined Mosquitoes hit Berlin for the second time in 24 hours.

### CLOVERDALE

Mrs. Clara Dorsett

Mr. and Mrs. George Loughmiller of Brazil called on Mr. and Mrs. John Logan and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown and grand-daughter of Indianapolis spent Sunday with Mrs. Myrtle Kennedy.

Mrs. Emery Gray of near Carp, visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dorsett and Mrs. Hattie Gorham one day last week.

Mr. Lee Hubbard of Greencastle called on his mother, Mrs. Rosa Hubbard Sunday morning.

Mrs. L. L. Runyan returned home Saturday evening from a weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ruth Keller.

Mrs. Ollie O'Connor, Mrs. Myrtle Kennedy and Miss Stella Collins were in Greencastle Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Estes Duncan left last Tuesday for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Duncan in Adrian, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Stwalley and family had as their guests over the week end her father and brother and

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wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Venard Sinclair and family of Indianapolis and Mrs. Ida Sinclair east of town, called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles McAvoy Saturday evening.

Mrs. Ezra Cummings and Mrs. Emma Cummings called on Mrs. Salina Cunningham and Mrs. Nora Morrison one afternoon last week.

Mrs. Mary Logan attended teachers Institute in Greencastle last

## GRANADA

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

TORCHY...but TERRIFIC!

Meet the Lassie with the Classy Chassis!

*Lure of the ISLANDS*

starring MARGIE HART  
The Girl Who Stopped 1000 Shows!  
with Robert Lowry

Plus, Charmor 1940 Ryme mysteries and Latest News

Saturday.

### FERN

Mr. and Mrs. Donavon Heber and daughters have moved to Greencastle.

Mrs. Sallie Varvel called on Mrs. Ernest Heber Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burks and daughter Anna Mae spent Sunday

with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clines, Sr., at Cloverdale.

Mrs. A. P. Stoner spent Thursday evening with Mrs. Earl Heber at Greencastle.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Huff and family have moved to Dayton, Ohio.

Mrs. Robert Burks and daughter Anna Mae spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Donavon Heber and daughters Vivian Mae and Ruth Ann. Grandma Shaner is confined to the

## NOTICE!

### The Voncastle Theatre

Will be closed Wednesday and Thursday

So it can be serviced by the Reliable Exterminator Co. of Lafayette.

## Attend The Granada

For our regular Wednesday and Thursday Program.

Putnam County hospital.

Mrs. John Heistand has returned to Indianapolis after spending the summer at her home near Fern.

Miss Vivian Mae Heber of Greencastle spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Heber.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Furley called on Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sims and family of near Cloverdale Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Furley called on Mrs. Mary Owens, Mathew Furley and Mrs. Mary Powell of Chicago on the day at Coal City Tuesday.



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